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In re application of:)
Loeb et al.)
Serial No.: 09/972,834)
Filed: October 4, 2001)
For: THERMOSTABLE POLYMERASES)
HAVING ALTERED FIDELITY)
AND METHODS OF IDENTIFYING)
IDENTIFYING AND USING SAME)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Entry of the following amendment is respectfully
requested.

AMENDMENTS

Please cancel claims 21-50.

REMARKS


Claims 21-50 have been canceled. Upon entry of the
amendment, claims 1-20 will be pending.

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The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned agent
or Cathryn Campbell if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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